

News From

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WALKATHON PLANNED TO RAISE MONEY FOR SENIOR MEALS

Monroe County Executive Jack Doyle announces the fourth annual Miles for Meals Walkathon at Highland Park on Saturday, June 2, 2001 to raise money for senior meal programs in Monroe County. A continental breakfast begins at 9:00 a.m., followed by a leisurely walk at 10:00 a.m. and musical entertainment.

"The county's Office for the Aging is pleased to coordinate this intergenerational event because it encourages people of all ages to walk together for a worthy cause," said Doyle. "The money raised helps to support home delivered meals and senior center lunch programs that together serve 8,000 senior adults in our community annually."

The minimum donation for walkers is \$5.00. Walkers securing \$50.00 in pledges will receive a T-shirt and a souvenir pin. Volunteers will also receive a pin. To be a sponsor, volunteer or walker, call 428-4966. Pre-registration is recommended before May 24, 2001.

The Monroe County Office for the Aging is coordinating this event. Corporate sponsors include: Democrat & Chronicle, Monroe Litho, Trident Precision Manufacturing, Wegmans and the Fred & Floy Willmott Foundation.

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